

NEW LIFE. NEW WAY. – PART 1

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Life contrary to _____ is not what you most deeply desire.

Psalm 37:4; Romans 7:15, 22

1. Futile (pointless) thoughts
2. Darkened understanding
3. Excluded from life of God
4. Ignorance
5. Hard-hearted
6. Calloused
7. Promiscuous
8. Impure
9. You'll never be satisfied

"Sin will take you further than you want to go, keep you longer than you want to stay and cost you more than you want to pay."
Steve Farrar, *Finishing Strong* (Multnomah, 2000), p. 90

But God has made us _____, not just improved!

• How do we live this new life?

– _____ the old and new man.
Psalms 51:10; Ezekiel 11:19,18:31, 36:26; John 3:6

– _____ the old man. Grow up.
Romans 6:5–11; Ephesians 6:1; 1 Corinthians 15:45

– Renew your _____.
Romans 12:1–2; Colossians 3:9–10

– Put on the _____.
Galatians 5:16

Old Man	New Man
Adam	Jesus
Flesh	Spirit
Sin	Righteousness

SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE

Previous: *Ephesians 1:17–19, Ephesians 2:4–5, Ephesians 3:20–21*
Current: *Ephesians 4:26–27*
"Be angry and do not sin. Don't let the sun go down on your anger, and don't give the Devil an opportunity."